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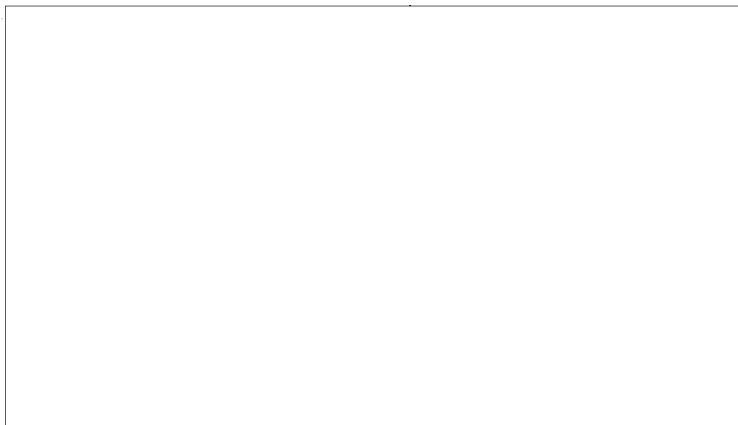
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Research, Development and Production Review Board  
Ideas and Requirements Panel

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I.

Meeting #10 was held in the OC Conference Room at 1430 hours on 17 October 1956. Those present were:



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1. Keyboard Morse Keyer - Considerable discussion took place on this project and it was determined that the item could fulfill operational requirements particularly in those cases where break-in operation was of value. The Panel directed that the Lab construct one model of this unit on a time available basis, this model to utilize a ten numbers key board based on cut number. Additionally, the Panel expressed their appreciation to [redacted] for his suggestion.

OK

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2. [redacted] - O&T reported that they had discussed this item with TSS, and TSS was extremely interested in it and offered to develop the item or to cooperate with the Office of Communications in such a development. The Panel agreed that TSS should carry on this development and incorporate into such development the requirements of the Office of Communications. The Panel further directed the Engineering Division to write a letter to TSS with a copy for DD/P setting forth:

OK

- (1) operational characteristics required by this Office
- (2) suggested methods of achieving desired results
- (3) statement of Office of Communications requirements

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The Engineering Division will coordinate this letter with Operations and Training Division and Supplemental Programs Division. The Panel expressed their appreciation to [redacted]

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3. Communications Keyer - The Panel noted this item, but felt the item itself had no direct application to an operational requirement but recommended that the information be made available to the Research and Development Laboratory. OK

4. Visual Radio Teletype Readout Unit - The Panel determined that a requirement existed for this device and referred the matter to the Engineering Division for study and report to the Research, Development and Production Review Board. The Panel expressed their appreciation to [redacted] in regard to both the Communication Keyer and the Visual Radio Teletype Readout Unit. OK

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III.

The meeting adjourned at 1550 hours. The next regular meeting of the Ideas and Requirements Panel will be held on 21 November 1956.

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